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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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U.S. Patent Application No.:

Filed: *herewith*

For: DEVICE FOR LOCK-FIXING AN APPARATUS DESIGNED TO BE MOUNTED IN  
A RACK

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows: